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DATE: November 9, 2007

SUBJECT: PEER REVIEWERS FOR PROPOSED SEDIMENT QUALITY OBJECTIVES FOR
ENCLOSED BAYS AND ESTUARIES OF CALIFORNIA

In response to your request for peer reviewers for the proposal identified above, the University of California has identified four reviewer candidates for this proposal. I have approved the reviewers based on information provided in a Conflict of Interest (COI) Disclosure form each was required to complete and sign.

The reviewers' names are given below.

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I am providing biographical information for the approved reviewers with this memorandum.

At this point in the process, the persons identified above do not know that they have been approved as reviewers. As a courtesy, please contact them immediately by email and let them know. Ask them if their preferred mailing address is the same as that noted above.

Also, tell them when to expect the material for review. They have accepted the review assignment based on the date of availability given in your letter of request to me. If preparation of the material is delayed, ask them if the new date is acceptable, including me as a "cc." If subsequent delays occur, inform them and me as soon as possible. I am often contacted by reviewers and the University if delays occur and reviewers are not kept up to date.

The three attachments that you provided with your request letter to me also must be attached to your cover letter to the reviewers. **Inform the reviewers that their review must follow the guidance provided in Attachment 2.**

Discussions between staff and reviewers are not permitted. The reviewers may request clarification of certain aspects of the documents being reviewed. Clarification questions and responses to them must be in writing. Please inform them of this requirement in your cover letter transmitting the material to be reviewed.

If I can provide additional help, feel free to contact me at any time during the review process.

Attachments

cc: (without attachments)

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